

**ABSTRACT**

A 3-way stopcock which is intended for sanitary use comprising a body or nucleus (1) wherein a principal channel (2) and two secondary arms (3, 3') converge and a plug or stopper (4) acting inside said body or nucleus (1). According to the invention, said two 5 secondary arms (3, 3') present initial curved flexible segments (3, 3'a) having a high elastic index, which respectively extend into parallel final distal segments (3b, 3'b).